

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

C.O.C.P. No.362 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 28.04.2017

Darshan Singh
..... Petitioner
Versus

Sucha Ram Ladhar and others
..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Karanjeet Singh Brar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Anant Kataria, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondents.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner/Superintendent Grade-II (retd.) had filed CWP No.2478 of 2015 for setting aside the impugned order dated 26.08.2014, whereby recovery of Rs.4,19,144/- has been effected from the gratuity, allegedly on account of wrong fixation of pay. The said petition was allowed vide order dated 27.10.2016 (**Annexure P-1**) and the impugned order dated 26.08.2014 has been quashed. It was also ordered that the recovered amount be refunded within two months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of the order. Since the needful was not done, hence the present contempt petition.

At the time of hearing, learned Counsel for the respondents submits that the aforesaid directions have already been complied with.

In response, learned Counsel for the petitioner concedes that the present contempt petition has become infructuous as the recovered amount of Rs.4,19,144/- has since been refunded to the petitioner.

In view of the above, no further action is warranted.

Accordingly, the present contempt petition stands dismissed as infructuous.

April 28, 2017
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(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>